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MEMORANDUM FOR: Mr. H. Schuyler Foster
Chief, Division of Public Study,
Department of State

SUBJECT: "Outstanding Magazine Articles Relating
to International Affairs"

1. You may remember that on 27 October, at your request, we discussed CIA's interest in the cancellation by the Department of State of its subject publication. I undertook to circularize CIA consumers to ascertain whether it might be desirable for CIA to assume production of this publication.

2. The results of that survey are now available and bear out the tentative response I gave you last month. That is to say, the publication, although useful to our people, is sufficiently outside of the functions and mission of CIA to make it impracticable for the Agency to pick up where the Department has been forced to leave off.

3. If any other agency assumes this production, or if State is able to resume it, we should of course like to be included in the distribution as in the past.

Sincerely,

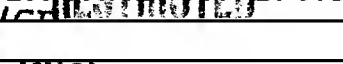

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